12/17/2004 13:41 250 PAGE 0

In the Claims:

Add the following new Claims 48-59.

- 1 48. (New) The system of claim 15 wherein the user authentication
- data is the users password. The password may be transformed
- 3 through hashing and/or randomizing to form the shared key.
- 4 The password data may be used in conjunction with the other
- 5 user authentication data.
- 1 49. (New) The system of claim 15 wherein the user authentication
- 2 data is the users password and username. The password and
- 3 username may be transformed through hashing and/or
- 4 randomizing to form the shared key. The password and
- 5 username data may be used in conjunction with the other user
- 6 authentication data.
- 1 50. (New) The system of claim 15 wherein the user authentication
- data is the users biometric data. The biometric data may be
- 3 transformed through hashing and/or randomizing to form the
- 4 shared key. The biometric data may be used in conjunction
- 5 with the other user authentication data.
- 1 51. (New) The system of claim 15 wherein the user authentication
- 2 data is the users pseudo biometric. The pseudo biometric may
- 3 be transformed through hashing and/or randomizing to form
- 4 the shared key. The pseudo biometric data may be used in
- 5 conjunction with the other user authentication data.
- 1 52. (New) The method of claim 31 wherein the user authentication
- data is the users password. The password may be transformed
- 3 through hashing and/or randomizing to form the users. The
- 4 password data may be used in conjunction with the other user
- 5 authentication data.

б

1 53. (New) The method of claim 31 wherein the user authentication
2 data is the users password and username. The password and
3 username may be transformed through hashing and/or
4 randomizing to form the shared key. The password and
5 username data may be used in conjunction with the other user

authentication data.

- 1 54. (New) The method of claim 31 wherein the user authentication
 2 data is the users biometric data. The biometric data may be
 3 transformed through hashing and/or randomizing to form the
 4 shared key. The biometric data may be used in conjunction with
 5 the other user authentication data.
- 55. (New) The method of claim 31 wherein the user authentication
 data is the users pseudo biometric. The pseudo biometric may
 be transformed through hashing and/or randomizing to form
 the shared key. The pseudo biometric data may be used in
 conjunction with the other user authentication data.
- 1 56. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 38, wherein the
 2 user authentication data is the users password. The password
 3 may be transformed through hashing and/or randomizing to
 4 form the users. The password data may be used in conjunction
 5 with the other user authentication data.
- 1 57. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 38, wherein the
 2 user authentication data is the users password and username.
 3 The password and username may be transformed through
 4 hashing and/or randomizing to form the shared key. The
 5 password and username data may be used in conjunction with
 6 the other user authentication data.

- 1 58. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 38, wherein the
 2 user authentication data is the users biometric data. The
 3 biometric data may be transformed through hashing and/or
 4 randomizing to form the shared key. The biometric data may be
 5 used in conjunction with the other user authentication data.
- 1 59. (New) The computer readable medium of claim 38, wherein the
 2 user authentication data is the users pseudo biometric. The
 3 pseudo biometric may be transformed through hashing and/or
 4 randomizing to form the shared key. The pseudo biometric data
 5 may be used in conjunction with the other user authentication
 6 data.